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COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA

STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION

AT RICHMOND, June 3, 2002

APPLICATION OF

CASE NO. PUA-2002-00019

DELMARVA POWER AND LIGHT COMPANY,

POTOMAC ELECTRIC POWER COMPANY,

PEPCO HOLDINGS, INC.,

and

CONECTIV RESOURCE PARTNERS, INC.

For approvals under Chapter 4, Title 56 of the Code of Virginia

ORDER EXTENDING TIME FOR REVIEW

On April 3, 2002, Delmarva Power and Light Company ('Delmarva''), Potomac Electric Power Company, Pepco Holdings, Inc., and Conectiv Resource Partners, Inc.("CRP"), filed an application with the State Corporation Commission ("Commission") under Chapter 4 (§ 56-76, et seq.) of Title 56 of the Code of Virginia ("Code") requesting the necessary approvals for the contracts or arrangements under which CRP will continue to provide various services to Delmarva and its current affiliates and will also begin providing services to other affiliated companies. Section 56-

Effective April 9, 2002, the new Case Management System requires that the case number format for all Commission orders change from, <u>e.g.</u>, PUE010663 to the following: PUE-2001-00663.

77 of the Code allows the Commission to extend its sixty-day review period "for an additional period not to exceed thirty days."

We note that the complex issues in the petition will require additional time for review. As such, we are of the opinion that sixty days is not sufficient time in which to investigate fully matters associated with the petition. Therefore, it is appropriate to extend the period for review of issues under § 56-77 for a period of thirty days, or through July 2, 2002.

Accordingly, IT IS ORDERED that the period for review of issues governed by \$ 56-77 shall be extended for a period not to exceed thirty days from the original sixty-day period, or through July 2, 2002.